

CONVENTION UPDATE #6: If anyone wishes to share rooms with anyone, let me know...Please get your registration money in as soon as possible. We cannot hold the dinner count for those not paid...Raymond Edward Johnson made a record a few years ago. Many copies have recently been purchased. Mr. Johnson reads STEEL and TELL-TALE HEART. They will be sold at the convention for \$6.00 each with all profits going to Ray...More tentative guests coming are Bill Grifis, Audrey Marsh, Joan Lorrington, Peg Lynch and Ted Mallie. Arnold Moss, Stefan Schnabel and Helene Dumas will be unable to come...As of September 2nd, 129 people are coming Saturday, 48 on Friday. 32 tables have been reserved. About 38-40 are available...PLEASE send in your vote for the Allen Rockford Memorial Award.

IN FOND MEMORY: Gower Champion, Aug 25, 60; Theatrical musical director and choreographer...Harold Adamson, Aug 17, 73; lyricist who wrote hit songs for dozens of films and stage shows; "Time on my Hands," "An Affair to Remember"...John Sebastian, Aug 18, 65; classical harmonicist...Victor Diehm Sr, Aug 17, 77; former pres. of Mutual...Mary Sherman, Aug 13, 93; actress...Elliott Nugent, Aug 9, 83; playwright, producer, actor...Richard Sandwick, Aug 3, 53; TV director...Strother Martin, Aug 1, 61; Character actor; TV series: HAWKINS: HOTEL DEPAREE...Bobby Van, Jul 31, 51; dancer-entertainer...Pearl King Tanner, Jul 16, 100; radio actress; HAWTHORNE HOUSE...Charles McGraw, Jul 29, 66; stage, film, tv actor; FALCON: CASA-BLANCA: SMITH FAMILY...Don Hancock, May 6; radio and tv announcer...Peter Sellers, Jul 24, 54; versatile British actor...Parker McCormick, Jul 22; actress...William Wright, Jul 23, 78; film and tv producer...Allen Hoskins, Jul 26, 59; was Farina in Our Gang...John Smedberg, Dec 21, 68; radio, tv, stage personality...Garry Cooke, Jul 23, 24; lead guitarist for Sister Sledge...Keith Godchaux, Jul 22; former Grateful Dead keyboardist...Orin Tovrov, Aug 16, 69; wrote scripts for MA PERKINS and THE BRIGHTER DAY...Morman Shelley, Aug 22, 77; mimicked Winston Churchill's "We shall never surrender" speech in 1940...Sam Levenson, Aug 27, 68; comedian

PUBLICATIONS RECEIVED: ON THE AIR; Sep-Oct; article on movie serials...COLLECTORS CORNER, Summer; articles on Albert Miller; radio memorabilia.

CONVENTION: A national Tom Mix festival will be held Oct 9-12 in Clearfield County, Pa. For details contact T Mix Festival, DuBois Chamber of Commerce, 128 W Long Av, DuBois, Pa 15801. Send a SASE.

MUSIC: Freddy Martin will celebrate his 50th year as a band leader in 1981. Only Lawrence Welk has been a bandleader longer.

NEWS OF THE PAST: Eddie East, better known as one of the Sisters of the Skillet, produced Popeye...Lum and Abner many times ad libbed their shows throwing away the scripts when they felt a show slipping out from under them.

HERE AND THERE: New Addresses; Roger Hill, 1725 Kahulikai Ln, #9, Honolulu, Haw 96817...Duane Hutchinson, 1149E Hollyvale St #10, Azusa, Cal 91702...D Albright, RR2, Pretty Prairie, Ks 67570...Alan Kleinberger, 117-14 Union Tpke, Kew Gardens, NY 11415...Capt Richard Wright, NY District, Corps of Engineers, 26 Federal Plaza, NYC, NY 10278.



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New Friend: Doug Woodward, 10965 Glenoaks Blvd, Space #528, Pacoima, Cal 91331.

Old Friends: Ed Carr, 216 Shaner St, Boyertown, Pa 19512 has 43 discs of FRONTIER TOWN for trade for another series. No ZIV except LIGHTNING JIM...Larry Rao, 1213 E 88 St, Brooklyn, NY 11236 obtained a set of discs of DR. JEKYLL & MR. HYDE. One is available on a 6-60 for \$5.00. Larry's cassette catalog is still available for \$1.50. Also has new HIGH ADVENTURE and JOHN STEELE, ADVENTURER for sale on cassette or reel...Roy Hooper, 3074 Molokai Pl, Costa Mesa, Cal 92626 wants GUNSMOKE from 1957-61 and 4/52-8/52; master or home recordings only of those not in general circulation. Roy has most GUNSMOKE complete 1952-58. Roy also looking for someone in So. California area to help dub new GUNSMOKE finds in exchange for same... Frank Gilmore, Box 4545 GSS, Springfield, Mo 65804 is selling copies of his entire collection. Write for details...Tom Price, 847 Bedford Dr, Salinas, Cal 93901 has compiled 148 alphabetized radio programs charted in a 60-page in-depth cross-referenced source of broadcasting dates, sponsorship, and network affiliation. They are charted in timeline form. The black and white version is \$9.00 (you color it to key the information) and \$22.00 already hand-colored. Tom also has a complete set of 10 FIBBER MCGEE and MOLLY logs from 1927-59. The complete set is \$50.00. You can also get each one separately. Send a SASE to Tom for details.

RADIO IS ALIVE AND WELL: Arnold Moss will be teaching a seminar-workshop on writing for radio in the spring semester at New York Univ. Red Skelton is having his 20 years of tv tapes burned right after he dies because he feels if the networks didn't want to rerun them during his lifetime, there is no reason for others to profit...At the recent NAB radio programming conference, Hi Brown spread the gospel of resurgent radio drama.

Late Mail: Dr. Maurice Gordon, 300 Central Park West, NYC, NY 10024 wants any information at all about Ellen Faulk who appeared several times on the Sylvan Levin program...NEW FRIEND: Leonard Eskenasy, 2916 Brighton 7th St, Brooklyn, NY 11235...Some people coming to the convention who live far away are: Ken Piletic-Ill; Bob Piekarski-Wisc; Bob Burham-Mich; Bob Burchett and Dave Warren-OH; Bruce Rittenhouse-Mich; Edward Michel-Mn; James Snyder-Mich; Dave Reznick-Cal; Bernard Kelker-Ind; Geogg Oates-Vancouver; Don Boyer-Ind; Gene Bradford-Mich; Clyde Bengel-Cal; Ray Windrix-Col; Steve Hiss-Fla; Also coming are Anthony Tollin, Charles Stumpf, Art Schreiber, Roselle Scaduto...Also a reminder that the cutoff date for room reservations is Sep 17th. After that date the rooms are \$39/45...Jerry Perchesky tells me that Bob Eberly, 75 Knights Bridge, Great Neck, NY 11021 is recovering from surgery. Why not send Bob a card.

Get your money in for the convention. As of Sep 5th, 135 are coming for Saturday and 49 for Friday.

Write if you get work and hang by your thumbs

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| | | 2/15/45 | w/Rudy Vallee Sketch: Jack & The Beanstalk |
| 2 | <u>Abbott & Costello</u> | 11/9/44 | Lou's Horse, Peanut Butter |
| | | 8/11/48 | First Sketch: "The Razor's Edge" |
| 5 | <u>Amos n' Andy</u> | 12/1/44 | The Ink Flow Fountain Pen Agency |
| | | 12/8/44 | Kingfish Invests In A Brass Mountain w/Frank Morgan, Guest |
| 10 | <u>Archie Andrews</u> | 11/20/48 | Relatives Visit |
| | | 9/4/48 | End Of Summer Dance |
| 12 | <u>Baby Snooks</u> (Fannie Brice) | | Her Best Comedy Sketches (55) (1939-1948) |
| 14 | <u>Bickersons, The</u> (Drene Time) | 2/23/47 | Brother Amos Is In Jail |
| | | 3/2/47 | John's Business Trip |
| 15 | <u>Bickersons, The</u> (Drene Time) | 1/12/47 | Blanche Gets A Dog |
| | | 2/9/47 | The Borrowed Tuxedo |
| 17 | <u>Bob Hope Show, The</u> | w/Jane Russell, Guest | |
| | | w/Terry Moore & Bing Crosby, Guests | |
| 20 | <u>Burns & Allen</u> | 1943 | Gracie's Old Boyfriend Visits |
| | | 9/7/43 | Gracie Is Afraid Of Losing George |
| 30 | <u>Eddie Cantor Show</u> | 5/6/48 | w/Abbott & Costello, Guests |
| | | 5/13/48 | w/Lauritz Melchior, Guest |
| 33 | <u>Edgar Bergen/Charlie McCarthy Show</u> | 11/9/47 | w/Lulu McConnell, Guest |
| | | 11/16/47 | w/Lana Turner, Guest |
| 37 | <u>Fibber McGee & Molly</u> | 1/16/51 | Walking On The City Hall Grass |
| | | 12/12/50 | Bank Night At The Movies |
| 44 | <u>Great Gildersleeve, The</u> | 8/31/41 | Leaving Wistful Vista w/Hal Peary (1st Show Of Series) |
| | | 9/14/41 | Leroy Gets A Job As A Paper Boy |
| 40 | <u>Fred Allen Show</u> | 10/7/45 | w/Edgar Bergen/Charlie McCarthy, Guests |
| | | 2/6/49 | w/Bert Lahr, Guest |
| 51 | <u>Jack Benny</u> | 12/3/44 | w/Walter Winchell, Guest; "John Paul Jones" Gag |
| | | 11/25/45 | Jack Has A Flat Tire |
| 52 | <u>Jack Benny</u> | 1/17/43 | w/Oscar Levant, Guest |
| | | 4/24/49 | Jack Decides To Buy A New Car (Funny) |
| 53 | <u>Jack Benny</u> | 2/1/48 | Jack & Mary Attend The Premiere of Ronald Colman's New Film |
| | | 2/8/48 | Featured Sketch: Spoof On "Allen's Alley" |
| 54 | <u>Jack Benny</u> | 12/9/45 | Jack Receives An Invitation To Dine At The Ronald Colmans (Funny) |
| | | 1/20/46 | Featured Sketch: "State Fair" |
| 60 | <u>Jimmy Durante Show</u> | 12/3/47 | w/Charles Boyer, Guest |
| | | 12/10/47 | w/Boris Karloff, Guest |
| 63 | <u>Life Of Riley, The</u> | 7/25/43 | Riley Plans To Build A House w/William Bendix |
| | | 11/12/44 | The Big Football Wager |
| 67 | <u>Life With Luigi</u> | 3/11/52 | The Internal Revenue Visits Luigi w/J. Carrol Naish |
| | | 4/22/52 | The Antique Dealer's Dance |
| 70 | <u>Lum & Abner</u> | 1948 | The Boys Need \$72 To Pay Taxes |
| | | 4/12/50 | Lum & Abner Are Tricked Into Buying Graveyard Lots |
| 72 | <u>Milton Berle Show</u> | 9/16/47 | Featured Theme: "A Salute To Radio" |
| | | 8/26/47 | Featured Theme: "A Salute To Railroads" |
| 82 | <u>Our Miss Brooks</u> | 9/11/49 | The "Impostor" School Official w/Eve Arden (Funny Show) |
| | | 1/9/49 | The School Is Cold: The Students Stage A Revolt |
| 89 | <u>Phil Harris/Alice Faye Show</u> | 1/23/49 | Phil Is Invited To The Inaugural Ball w/Fred Allen |
| | | 1/30/49 | Phil Is Asked To Serve As Fire Chief |
| 90 | <u>Phil Harris/Alice Faye Show</u> | 11/14/48 | Phil & Remley Try To Create A New Drug (Funny) |
| | | 10/24/48 | Remley Buys A Steer For Phil |
| 91 | <u>Phil Harris/Alice Faye Show</u> | 1/2/49 | Phil Receives A Draft Notice |
| | | 2/27/49 | Remley Moves In With Phil And Alice |

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- 235 Mysterious Traveler, The 4/20/48 "Murder In Jazz Time" - Driven Mad By A Jazz Musician 2/19/52 "Strange New World" - Survivors On An Atomic Island
- 238 Mystery In The Air 8/7/47 "The Marvelous Barrasto" w/Peter Lorre 8/14/47 "The Lodger" w/Peter Lorre & Agnes Moorehead
- 250 Suspense 9/22/43 "The Most Dangerous Game" - Man Hunts Man w/Orson Welles 5/31/45 "August Heat" A Strange Destiny Haunts A Man w/Ronald Colman
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- 354 Philip Marlowe, Adv. Of, 4/30/49 "The Lady In Pink" w/Gerald Mohr 3/26/49 "The Green Flame"
- 365 Shadow, The 9/26/37 "The Hypnotized Audience" w/Orson Welles/Agnes Moorehead 2/6/38 "The Society Of The Living Dead" w/Orson Welles
- 366 Shadow, The 12/19/37 "The Tomb Of Terror" w/Orson Welles - A Mummy's Curse Kills 10/31/37 "The White God" - Natives Worship A White Ruler
- 367 Shadow, The 11/7/37 "Aboard The Steamship Amazon" - Contraband Munitions 11/14/37 "Murders In Wax" A Body Is Found Within A Wax Figure
- 368 Shadow, The 11/28/37 "The Creeper" w/Orson Welles - People Inside A House Mysteriously Disappear 11/21/37 "Message From The Hills" w/Orson Welles
- 370 Sherlock Holmes, Adv Of "A Scandal In Bohemia" w/Carleton Hobbs & Norman Shelly "The Five Orange Pips" (Hobbs & Shelly)
- 371 Sherlock Holmes, Adv Of "The Case Of The Six Napoleons" (Hobbs & Shelly) "The Case Of The Golden Pince-Nez" (Hobbs & Shelly)

WESTERNS

- 438 Lone Ranger, The #498 The Lone Ranger Is Wounded w/Brace Beemer 6/2/50 The Son Of A Gang Leader Is Going Bad

HOLLYWOOD

- 511 Hollywood Startime 1/13/46 Laura w/Gene Tierney+ Clifton Webb 6/9/46 Murder My Sweet w/Dick Powell
- 515 Screen Guild Theater 2/14/44 Gentleman Jim w/Errol Flynn 4/17/44 High Sierra w/Humphrey Bogart
- 520 Screen Director's Playhouse 1/9/49 Stagecoach w/John Wayne, Claire Trevor, Ward Bond 4/17/49 The Best Years Of Our Lives w/Dana Andrews
- 530 Lux Radio Theater 6/15/36 Burlesque w/Al Jolson, Ruby Keeler (60)
- 531 Lux Radio Theater 11/23/36 The Story Of Louis Pasteur w/Paul Muni (60)

SCIENCE-FICTION

- 550 Dimension X 6/3/50 "The Embassy" - A Visitor From Space Threatens Mankind 6/17/50 Ray Bradbury's, "There Will Come Soft Rains" + "Zero Hour"

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